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The Honorable Katherine Polk Failla United States District Judge United States District Court Southern District of New York United States Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

Re: Bailey Shipping Limited

v. American Bureau of Shipping, et al.

Index No.: 12 Civ. 5959 (KPF) Our File No.: 31263-MDW/CFE

Dear Judge Failla:

We represent defendants, American Bureau of Shipping et al. (hereinafter "ABS") in this action which is stayed pending arbitration pursuant to the Court's August 27, 2012 Order. We write to report the status of the arbitration as directed.

On January 11, 2016, the Panel resolved the procedural dispute and issued its Order requiring the Parties to set the schedule for hearings on the merits of the dispute. It is anticipated that hearings will remain open for additional submissions until the end of the summer, and we will provide the Court with a further status by October 10, 2016.

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Mr. Lennon, plaintiff's counsel, has reviewed and joins in this report.

Respectfully submitted,

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